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SUBJECT: MICHEL ROY SUCCEEDS RYAN AT LE DEVOIR

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1. MICHEL ROY, FORMER IVP GRANTEE, NAMED TO SUCCEED CLAUDE RYAN AS PUBLISHER LE DEVOIR. ROY'S APPOINTMENT DESCRIBED AS INTERIM. RYAN RESIGNED TO SEEK QUEBEC PROVINCIAL LIBERAL PARTY LEADERSHIP.

2. ROY WAS IVP GRANTEE APRIL 15-MAY 14, 1974. ACCORDING TO JULY 17, 1974 IVP FINAL REPORT, ROY "WAS A VERY SUCCESSFUL GRANTEE, WHO KNEW HOW TO USE HIS PERSONAL RESOURCES, AND THE RESOURCES OF THE PROGRAMMING AGENCY, TO INSURE A MEMORABLE EXPERIENCE."

3. ROY, NOW 48, HAS BEEN IN JOURNALISM SINCE 1949, AT LE DEVOIR SINCE 1958 AS POLITICAL REPORTER, EDITORIAL WRITER AND EDITOR-IN-CHIEF.

4. HE IS WELL-KNOWN TO USIS AND CONSULATE OFFICERS, TO WHOM HE OFFERS WARM, HOSPITABLE ACCESS.
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